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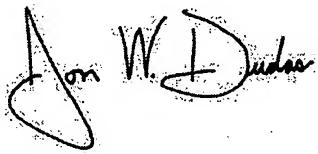
It is certified that error appears in the above-identified patent and that said Letters Patent is hereby corrected as shown below:

Column 8.

Line 3, delete "rube" and insert -- tube --.  
Line 65, delete "extended" and insert -- extend --.

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